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AMENDMENT

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PETITION

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for a one-month extension of the original shortened statutory response period set in the Office Action of January 24, 2006. A check in the amount of \$120.00 in payment of the government fee for a one-month extension of time is enclosed herewith so that the period for response is extended to May 24, 2006. Any additional fees or charges required at this time in connection with the present application may be charged to our Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

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In response to the Office Action dated January 24, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 5 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.